

29TH SESSION 2024





ASSEMBLY OF THE INTERNATIONAL SEABED AUTHORITY INDICATIVE PROGRAMME OF WORK¹/Rev.2 TWENTY-NINTH SESSION, 29 to 31 July and 2 August 2024²

Date	Time	Agenda Item		
Wednesday 31 July 2024 ³	9 am–1 pm	 Item 7: Annual report of the Secretary-General under article 166, paragraph 4, of the Convention: statements. Annual report of the Secretary-General: ISBA/29/A/2; ISBA/29/A/7; illustrated report. Report on the implementation of the action plan of the International Seabed Authority in support of the UN Decade of Ocean Science for Sustainable Development: ISBA/29/A/5. Item 16: Statement by the President of the Council on the work of the Council during the twenty-ninth session: ISBA/29/C/9/Add.1 Item 12: Report and recommendations of the Finance Committee: ISBA29/A/9-ISBA/29/C/20. Item 13: Adoption of the budget of the International Seabed Authority: ISBA/29/A/3-ISBA/29/C/11; ISBA/29/A/3/Add.1-ISBA/29/C/11/Add.1; ISBA/29/C/21; ISBA/29/A/L.2. Item 14: Adoption of the scale of assessment for the contributions to the budget of the International Seabed 		
		Authority.		
	3–6 pm	 <u>Item 10</u>: Periodic review of the international regime of the Area pursuant to article 154 of the Convention. <u>Item 15</u>: Proposal for a general policy of the Authority for the protection and preservation of the marine environment: <u>ISBA/29/A/4</u>; <u>Draft decision</u>. 		
Thursday 1 August 2024	Emancipation Day			

¹ Based on the agenda of the Assembly (<u>ISBA/29/A/1</u>).

² There will be no meeting on 1 August 2024 which is a public holiday in Jamaica. For this reason, the meetings will start at 9 am instead of 10 am on 29, 30, 31 July and 2 August 2024.

³ A meeting of the Credentials Committee is scheduled to be held on Wednesday 31 July 2024, between 2 pm to 2:45 pm.

Friday 2 August 2024	9 am–1 pm	•	Item 17: Report of the Credentials Committee.
		•	Item 11: Report of the interim Director-General of the Enterprise: ISBA/29/A/6-ISBA/29/C/12.
		•	Item 18: Election of the Secretary-General, in accordance with article 166, paragraph 2, of the Convention:
			ISBA/29/C/22.
	3–6 pm	•	Item 19: Election to fill the vacancies on the Council in accordance with article 161, paragraph 3, of the
			Convention: ISBA/29/A/CRP.1; ISBA/29/A/CRP.2.
		•	Item 8: Report on the review of the high-level action plan for the extended period 2019-2025 for alignment
			with the extension of the strategic plan of the Authority for the period 2019–2025: ISBA/29/A/8.
		•	<u>Item 20</u> : Dates of the next session of the Assembly.
		•	<u>Item 21</u> : Other matters.

31 July 2024